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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Chief, Contracts Division, OSA  
**SUBJECT :** FY 1967 IDEALIST Operational Concept

1. Per your request, following is a statement of the FY 1967 IDEALIST Operational Concept in sufficient detail to allow contractors to prepare their FY 1967 estimates:

a. Maintain a fleet of ten J-75 equipped aircraft with three aircraft at [ ] four at [ ] and three at Lockheed (two in IRAN/update and one for test).

b. Continue to operate at two primary locations with each primary having capability to deploy to satellite locations. Additionally, [ ] will maintain a capability to operate from carriers.

c. It is anticipated that there will be six deployments in FY 1967 for an average duration of thirty days.

d. Training flying hours is anticipated to be consistent with previous years, i.e. 2520. Operational flying hours will be approximately 350.

e. Spares levels should be sufficient to support the above.

2. The following is for E-K's use only:

a. Forty-eight operational missions utilizing the Hycon-B camera with 6500' rolls of film (black and white) per mission.

b. Fifteen training and operational color missions utilizing twelve 6000' rolls of 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " film and eighteen 4000' rolls of 70mm film.

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c. Twelve Delta III training and operational missions using 5000' rolls of film.

d. 190 training missions using 4000' rolls of black and white film (B camera).

e. The new tracker camera will be used on all of the above missions (700' by 35mm per mission of 3404 film).

f. The above quantities apply to original negative film only. Duping requirements should be based on FY 1966 level of effort.

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